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TITLE OF INVENTION RHEOLOGY MODIFICATION OF POLYMERS		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US		
Bharat I. Chaudhary et al. Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:		
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b. has been communicated by the International Bureau.		
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a. is attached hereto.		
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8. An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under l	PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).	
9. k An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).		
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Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:		
An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.		
12 An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in comp	liance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.	
13. x A preliminary amendment.		
14. x An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.		
15 A substitute specification.		
16 A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.		
7. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 – 1.825.		
18 A second copy of the published International Application under 35 U.S	.C. 154(d)(4).	
19. A second copy of the English language translation of the international	application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).	

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